ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD September 18, 1997

WASTE PROFESSIONALS, INC., d/b/a)	
PEKIN LANDFILL,)	
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Petitioner,)	PCB 97-228
)	(Variance - Land)
V.)	
)	
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)	
PROTECTION AGENCY,)	
)	
Respondent)	

DISSENTING OPINION (by J. Theodore Meyer):

I dissent from today's majority opinion because Subpart D of the Board's landfill regulations provided sufficient time for landfills to achieve compliance. In fact, the flooding that occurred in Illinois resulted in an additional six months of time to achieve compliance. Thus, I believe any hardship experienced by petitioner was self-imposed and therefore would have denied this variance.

J. Theodore Meyer

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above dissenting opinion was submitted on the 19th day of September1997.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board